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SUBJECT: INFORMAL CANADIAN-U.S. EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON FAO
AND WFP

1. RALPH W. PHILLIPS, DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION
AFFAIRS, FAS/USDA, AND PAUL J. BYRNES, AGENCY DIRECTOR FOR
AGRICULTURE, IO/STATE, WILL ARRIVE OTTAWA SEPTEMBER 4
(EA 172) FOR DISCUSSION FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION
AND WORLD FOOD PROGRAM MATTERS WITH CANADIAN AUTHORITIES
ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5. AGRICULTURE ATTACHE HAS CONFIRMED
RESERVATIONS HOTEL EGLIN. ASSUME HE AND PERHAPS OTHER
EMBASSY OFFICERS WILL WISH PARTICIPATE THESE INFORMAL
TALKS WHICH INTER ALIA WILL INCLUDE THE FAO AND WFP PRO-
GRAMS OF WORK AND BUDGETS FOR 1976-77, FORTHCOMING ELEC-
TIONS INCLUDING THAT OF A NEW FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL,
PREPARATIONS FOR AND ISSUES TO BE FACED IN THE 68TH FAO
COUNCIL AND 18TH FAO CONFERENCE. THIS WILL CONSTITUTE A
CONTINUATION OF INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN THE CANADIAN
AND U.S. DEPARTMENTS OF AGRICULTURE, BEGUN IN 1959. MR.
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